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Editorial Comment

Tuesday's Primary Election

In next Tuesday's Democratic virtually all of the party leaders primary election, the Times-Virginian is glad to support the candidacy of William M. Tuck, of Halifax, for nomination for governor, and of Preston B. Collins, of Amherst, of Marion, for lieutenant governor. But first and foremost, we believe these men will receive the largest vote ever received by candidates for these offices in Appomattox County, and will be nominated by the Democrats of Old Dominion.

It has been all too long since the people of this section has possessed a chief executive of the State. We have had to long "overdue" in recognition and the means of voting. But, secondly, we can support the candidacy of these two men because we know that the total vote in the state will be small enough to allow the friends, "BIB" Tuck in the belief that he will secure himself as a leading candidate. We do not point the finger of blame in mentioning this fact, but many Virginians who have been interested in the trying post-war years, have not exercised their franchise. We do not think that political campaigns, but many Virginians who have been interested in the trying post-war years, have not exercised their franchise. We do not think that political affairs in the Old Dominion are of sufficient importance to cause the split tax payers to study the records of the candidates for the various offices, and we believe that the people of this section are sensitive, sound, experienced type exact that may be that people desire. The three candidates have great confidence in the leaders for lieutenant governor are men who direct the affairs of the all men of proven character, and each one has had years of training and experience. Any one of of approval.

Therefore, we believe that Appomattox them could occupy the office with credit to themselves and to the people of the State. Our choice of the three, tain its enviable record of a large majority, is Mr. Collins, because we believe that Mr. Collins appears to us to have a slightly broader background of experience, and our choice is made stronger by the fact that Collins a handsome majority.

A CLOSE SHAVE

From Winchester Star

After a war is over the people are apt to forget by how close a margin victory was gained. It takes a mental effort to remember now that it was touch and go for a long time on the approaches to the Nile. People are already beginning to forget how close the Germans came to knocking England out of the war with the flying bombs which turned their full fury on that island base just a little too late to upset Allied plans.

But memory is given a jolt by weapons now being found which Germany developed too late to throw into the fray. One of them is a fighter plane, with propellers in both the nose and tail, capable of such speed that it runs away from the fastest Allied planes now in Europe. Had swarms of these planes been available to the Nazis at the time of the great raids which broke the back of the German air force in early 1944, the struggle in the skies might have had a different and less happy ending for the Allies.

Of course, battles and wars are not won by ifs. The men and weapons on hand at the decisive hour decide the struggle. Nothing the Germans might have done can now change the outcome. But it is one thing to keep in mind what might have been for future reference.

The close shaves of the European war and the superior weapons the Nazis almost got into production should make Americans the absolute necessity of keeping up military research in the years to come. It would be taking a grave risk not to keep up research in an era when the chance that aggressors will come up too late with too little as the Germans did this time.

CIANO TELLS ALL

From Danville Register

Now we hear Count Ciano's diary, now being published in America, caused greater consternation in Rome.

The most cultured of the Italians masses are now in the rollicking position of realizing that was only the foreign minister, but Mussolini himself played the Italian people for the sunkers they were.

It is and rightable that the dignified Romans recalling entries in the diary become highly exercised and are seen rushing to the curbs from their favorite cafe seat and tearing the newspapers to shreds. What hurts them is that they should have followed the fascist regime so complacently without examining the wind being its followness. They feel betrayed that Italy should have lost all through the machinations of a couple of knaves whose sensitive was warped by traditional Italian vanity.

We see now that the chin-jutting little Duce was not a ruthless dictator after all. That in reality of important policy he whined and fiddled and often asked the opinion of the palace's second chamber maid. He could never come to a prompt and firm decision. If he said "yes," he immediately engaged in trying to make it "no" out of it. He hated Hitler because he knew Hitler was a paper hanger, and that when they met, Hitler talked down to Mussolini and controlled the conversation. Mussolini realized he was a better bred man than Hitler, and when the Fuehrer narrowly escaped in the bomb plot on his life, Mussolini toned down his congratulations and sympathies several times before he sent it. He did not want Hitler to think Mussolini was any to sorry for the escape.

Mussolini was, in the final analysis, all that most Americans say him to be, as vain as a peacock strutting forever before his people, basking happily in adulation, delivering speeches someone else wrote and getting a real kick out of telling his fascist trigger men to take Ettore down a dark alley and shoot him for the greater glory of fascism.

Let us hope that fascism really was, behind the scenes.

SELL THE SURPLUS WISELY

From Eastern Shore News

The United States, when wartare ends, will be in possession of millions of dollars' worth of surplus goods and industrial plants that cost billions of dollars.

The disposition of this property represents one of the grave problems confronting the nation. This mass of surplus goods and plants cannot be rushed without practically giving away the stuff, with the Government taking enormous and unnecessary losses.

This probably explains the insistence that the Government "go out of business" immediately after the end of the war with Japan. If sufficient demand can be created among unthinking Americans, there will be a popular outcry for the Government to liquidate whatever it owns. This would be a fine time, hungry purchasers, but it will mean heavier taxation for the average American.

In our opinion, the Government should dispose of its surplus holdings in a leisurely way, with the idea of salvaging as much money as possible with which to pay its huge obligations. While some of the property will have to be sold to avoid spoilage, much of it can be held for months or years, if necessary, to secure a fair price. Certainly, none of it should be sold at rates that amount to giving it away.

Bomber crashes into the Empire State building, New York.

U. S. may ship some coal to Europe this winter.

China's battle for passages to Indo-China.

Truman will not visit London on present trip.

A million American troops will be brought back from Europe in the remaining five months of this year.

THE LAND OF OPPORTUNITY

From Peninsula Enterprise

A newspaper exchange some days ago was running a feature provided by an agricultural extension service, and this feature was entitled "The County of Opportunity." It was remarked by someone that the city people up in this section seem to be one having any exceptional opportunity. It was just an ordinary American sort of place. Yet it could rightly be called a county of opportunity, since opportunities exist almost everywhere, there are always things that can be improved in the industries of a locality, or the appearance and adornment of towns and cities.

Some localities have had periods of discouragement, when things seemed against them. They lost industries, or people moved away and allowed abandoned farms. Then these places may still have had opportunities in this industry for the energetic and industry of their people, if that energy is organized and directed. But there is no place with a discouraging situation into a place of opportunity.

If a locality turns out good products, it has an opportunity to sell them and the population should be increased by enterprise and addition of new people, for there will always buy good products, if it knows about them.

Opportunities are not created by luck and chance, but usually because there were people who developed them by reaching out for business and sales. Many places are disappointed because they lack opportunities through some lack of organization or organization. If their business people and farmers would unite more heartily and spend the money necessary to spread the reputation of their products, increase their sales.

They say opportunity knocks once at every man's door, but ordinarily people have to hunt around a little and find where she lives, and enlist her sympathy and support.

THE PATRICK HENRY SHRINE

From New York Times

Republics are perhaps not so ungrateful to the great heroes of self-government do not rocket to adulation so rapidly as do the demigods of despotism, but neither does their fame fade so quickly or turn so frequently into obloquy. It is good to have been taken toward public acquisition of the Red Hill, in Charlotte County, Virginia, last home of Patrick Henry. Plans of the Patrick Henry Memorial Foundation in that State call for its early restoration. The foundation was chartered last October by the Virginia State Corporation Commission to establish a perpetual memorial in commemoration of the life and character of the fiery Revolutionary orator.

Patrick Henry bought the place in 1794. Two years later he made it his permanent home and there he spent the remaining years of his life. The original residency, somewhat remodelled, burned down in 1912, but its measurements and plans have been preserved and will be available for the restoration. It is natural and laudable that Virginia should take the initiative in this project. For as James S. Easley, president of the foundation, puts it: "If one were called upon to name the three greatest contributions of Virginia to the cause of freedom, he could respond: the sword of Washington, the pen of Jefferson and the golden voice of Patrick Henry."

Plant producing B-29 tires in Detroit, seized by Army.

RATION GUIDE

PROCESSED FOODS:

Blue Stamps: Y2, Z2, A1, B1, C1, now valid, expire August 31.
D1, E1, F1, G1, H1, now valid, expire September 30.
J1, K1, L1, M1, N1 now valid, expire October 31.
P1, Q1, R1, S1, T1 now valid, expire November 30.

MEATS AND FATS:

Red Stamps: Q2, R2, S2, T2, U2, now valid, expire August 31.
V2, W2, X2, Y2, Z2, now valid, expire September 30.
A1, B1, C1, D1, E1, now valid, expire October 31.
F1, G1, H1, J1, K1, now valid, expire November 30.

Sugar: Sugar Stamp 36, good for 5 lbs., expires August 31.

Shoes: Airplane Stamps 1, 2, 3, and 4 now good. No. 4 became valid August 1.

Gasoline: A-16 coupons valid through September 21.

OPA says new Ration Book No. 3 is to be distributed through the schools in December.

Consumers buying clothing from catalogs of mail order houses will pay substantially same prices this fall as they paid in 1943, it was stated this week by OPA.

Rationing of gas cooking and gas heating stoves ended July 31, it has been announced by OPA. Remaining on the ration list will be oil cooking, combination oil gas stoves and oil conversion burners for stoves.

THOMAS HOWLETT MARTIN
1855—1945

SAMUEL MacLean THORNTON
1873—1945

When death claimed these two valuable and highly esteemed citizens, it caused a vacancy in the home that, of course, can never be filled, and a vacancy in the community that willbe very hard to fill. These two beloved citizens of Appomattox differed in some of the minor activities of life. Mr. Martin took a leading part in all activities for the betterment of his country. He was one of the leading members of Trinity Methodist Church. He was a strong, sincere believer in the principles of the Republican party, and he had the courage to fight for those principles. Mr. Thornton was just as much interested in the above, but was more reserved. He would generally let others carry the conversation, while he thought deeply and acted wisely. He was an elder in the Presbyterian Church at Appomattox. Any one point either of these gentlemen had the same high rating, and that was character and integrity.

In the passing of these two men the county lost two of its best citizens. —N. R. F.

Churchill refuses offer by king of knighthood.

Over million Japan civilians liberated by Yanks.

Southern portion of Japan now blazing from repeated attacks.

United Nations Charter approved by Senate vote of 89 to 2.

INFORMATIVE BALLOT

PRIMARY ELECTION

August 7th, 1945

FOR GOVERNOR
(Vote For One)

- [X] Wm. M. Tuck
- [ ] Moss A. Plunkett

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
(Vote For One)

- [X] Lewis Preston Collins
- [ ] Charles R. Fenwick
- [ ] Leonard G. Muse

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL
SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.
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Lesson for August 5

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ISAAC'S HERITAGE

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 24:10; 25:20, 26, 61-67.
GOLDEN TEXT—I have a goodly heritage.—Psalm 16:6.

The ordinary things of life become extraordinary when we recognize in them the outworking of the plan of God. Our lesson presents one of history's sweetest love stories. It would be worth reading just for that reason, but it is also the account of God's hand in the carrying forward of His promised blessing on the seed of Abraham.

For a long time it seemed the there could be no fulfillment at all, for Sarah and Abraham had to child. Then by a miracle, God gave them a beloved son.

Isaac's remarkable deliverance in the hour when it looked as though he might be taken from his father (Gen. 22:10-12) was like bringing back one who was dead (Heb. 11:19).

He grew into manhood, and Abraham, good father and faithful servant of the Lord, determined that his son must have a godly wife. So in accordance with Oriental custom he sent a most trusted servant back to their homeland to choose a bride from their own kindred.

The altogether charming story unfolds in our lesson as we see

I. A Faithful Servant (v. 10).

Full instructions from Abraham and an oath that he would not take a bride for Isaac from among the Canaanites, prepared the servant for his journey. Taking with him a goodly caravan and rich presents from his master, he set out on his journey.

There is much to learn here about the need of parental concern, and their interested action in helping young people to find the right mate. We see the importance of avoiding "mixed" marriages, especially those between a believer and an unbeliever.

We see the need of constant dependence on God, for only He has the wisdom and the knowledge of human hearts which can properly join two lives together. In our day when marriage is so carelessly and casually contracted, these matters need special emphasis.

II. A Fair Damsel (vv. 15-20).

To be good to look upon is certainly a desirable thing in a woman, but it has been far too much exploited in our day. Notice that while Rebekah was very fair, she also had those qualities of character and of experience which prepared her to be a good wife for Isaac.

She was kind and willing to serve; not only did she offer water to the servants of Abraham, but promptly watered his camels. Such an attitude of heart and mind is a great asset to a woman in marriage.

She was instructed in the domestic arts. The fact that she had come to draw water indicated that, and her ability to draw the water showed that she had experienced the duties of woman in the household.

Here is wise counsel for the young man who is interested in marriage, and for his parents as they guide him. Let him look for the girl with the fair countenance if he will, but let him be sure that there is something really worthwhile behind the pretty face.

No woman, no matter how extensive her culture or how rich her family, is ready for marriage until she knows something of the responsibilities of family life and has a will to do what she can for the care and comfort of others.

III. An Honorable Proposal (vv. 34-36).

Abraham's trusted man, perceiving that God had led him to the one of His choice, at once stated his errand. There was no trickery, no smooth double-talk. This was a straight-out proposal that Rebekah come with him to be the bride of Isaac.

Notice that he made known his master's financial position, and made clear the place Rebekah would occupy as the wife of Isaac. That is as it should be. There is a contractual basis for marriage which calls for complete candor and honest dealing.

But there was more here, for Rebekah ultimately responded to the dictates of her own heart when she said, "I will go" (see v. 58). It was then announced by OPA.

IV. A Love Marriage (vv. 61-67).

Isaac, meditating in the twilight presents a fine picture of a man spiritually ready to be a good husband. He had more to offer than riches. Let other young men follow his example.

The tender scene of their meeting, and of the love which welled up in their hearts at first sight of one another, needs no comment.

We do need to say that unless America gets back to real love marriages, our nation is destined for disaster. Matrimony based on physical attraction, improper emphasis on sex, or on convenience, will never be able to meet the stress of modern life. Love can and will do it, especially where those who find love one another first love God

COLORED DOTS

The public is invited to attend annual revival service of the Galilee Baptist Church this Sunday beginning at 11:30 A.M., with preaching by the pastor, and at 8 P. M. the revival speaker, Rev. W. Black, pastor of Mt. Nebo Baptist Church, West Point, Va., will speak. Services will begin each night at 8 P. M., and run through the week. The Promise Land Church choir will render music at the 3 P. M. service. Dinner will be served at 1:30. All church members are asked to bring out each.

The victory rally sponsored by the auxiliaries of the Galilee Church, one to a successful close next Sunday at 12 o'clock. The Mount Airy choir rendered special music. E. G. Lawing delivered a special message. All present enjoyed the day. The pastor's aid received $22.50 and the mens' club added $20.75. The total amount received during the day was 48.75.

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Safety Colors

Bright color and lots of it promise to be the new order of the day manufacturers generally adopt the new scientific use of colors for safety, says C. E. Anderson, nationally known authority on the use of color in industry. After pointing out that dark, dingy, tool-gray machines absorb 94 per cent of the light falling on machines, Mr. Anderson presented the following industrial safety code of six colors: "High visibility yellow" for use on dead ends, low beams and stairway approaches; "safety orange" for use on boxes and cutting devices; "fire protection red" for fire-fighting equipment; "safety green" for first aid equipment; "protection blue" for machinery not to be moved, such as ovens and valves; and "traffic white, gray or black" for aisle markings.

Keep Eggs Cool

Eggs being held for market should be in a location where the temperature is under 65 degrees and where the humidity is high. A properly ventilated cave, basement, or farm egg cooler will supply these conditions while the eggs are being held on the farm. Temperature and the amount of humidity in the air are the most important factors affecting the interior quality of eggs. High temperature and low humidity are responsible for too much evaporation, as indicated by the size of air cells, a watery condition of the white, a more prominent and movable yolk, and embryo development.

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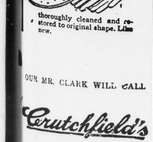

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Dry Suds Effective for Cleaning Furniture

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To make the suds, dissolve one-half cup of neutral soap flakes, beads, chips or bar soap shaved in small pieces in one quart of hot soft water. To test the soap to see if it is neutral, put a bit of it on your tongue, and if neutral it will not bite or sting. When the soap solution has cooled to a jelly-like consistency, beat it with a rotary egg beater until it looks like cake icing. When suds die down, rebeat them.

Remove the dust from the upholstered furniture with a vacuum cleaner or whisk broom. Before shampooing the fabric with dry suds, test in an inconspicuous place to see whether it is washable. If so, then apply the dry suds to a small area with a brush, sponge or cloth. Use a light circular motion. Scrape off the soiled suds with a spatula. Rinse with a sponge or cloth wrung from clear lukewarm water using a circular motion. Rinse several times. Be sure not to get too much water in the material. Use as little water as possible so that the foundation will not become wet. Work quickly and wash a small area at a time and let each one area overlap the last one a little. Place furniture in an airy place to dry, but not in the sun.

Proper Care Lengthens Life of Brushes, Brooms

Any kind of household brush will do a better job if it is kept clean. Dust and lint will cling better to fibers if they are not already overloaded. What many homemakers do not realize is that all fiber brushes and brooms last longer if occasionally wetted, for this prevents the fibers or broomstraw from becoming too brittle and breaking off.

Plan a once-a-week bath for your sweeping and brushing equipment. Plunge the brushes and brooms up and down in a pail of good warm suds (not scalding hot, for this might possibly loosen the fastenings of some types); rinse in fresh warm suds, then in clear water, shake well outdoors and hang in the sun to dry.

All kinds of brushes will have a longer life if given this treatment—the carpet sweeper brush, the vacuum brush, stair brush, whisk broom, floor broom, clothes and hair brushes. Remember, though, that nylon hair brushes and tooth brushes should never be placed in hot water as this tends to soften the bristles. Lube warm water does the job for them.

Save Juices

Much of the good flavor and food value in the juices of meats, fruits and vegetables can be lost unless care is used in storage and preparation. Vegetables often need freshening. If soaked in water, especially after they are peeled or cut, food value is lost. The better method is to wash, put in a covered container, and store in refrigerator. Waste of fruit juices can be avoided by holding juicy fruits like oranges and cherries over a bowl when slicing or pitting, and by washing berries before, not after hulling. Very often juice is left in the skins of citrus fruit when fruit juice is being prepared. Meat juices may be saved by never soaking meat, poultry, or fish. If cleaning is needed, it is usually sufficient to wipe with a cloth or to rinse. In cooking meat, include the juices that have run out during the storage and save further loss by using moderate heat. The drippings, not only contain food value, but help make the gravy more delicious. Excess fat can be saved for future cooking or turned in to salvage.

Dehydrated Foods

The method of drying fresh fruits and vegetables in a specially designed, tight-fitting box, under controlled temperature, humidity and air flow, is called dehydration. Dehydrated vegetables and fruits are of superior quality to those dried by other methods. In many instances dehydrated foods, such as corn, carrots, green beans, peas, apples, peaches, etc., approach or equal the quality of foods preserved by other methods. Fruit should be ripe but still firm; vegetables in good condition for table use. Dehydration does not improve quality. Consequently, if a good dried product is desired, the quality must be present in the fresh fruit or vegetable.

Arab League

In varying degrees, the members of the Arab league share the common characteristics of the general terrain of their part of the world. With the exception of the rugged, yet often-fertile Lebanon, and, to some extent, highland Yemen, all hold large desert-steppe areas. The countries are all chiefly agricultural, with more or less pastoral activity. Products are generally similar, including cereals and fruits, cotton, tobacco, olive oil, silk and skins—and such ancient handicraft work as carpets, textiles, jewelry, and pottery. Modern petroleum wealth in Saudi Arabia, Iraq, and Egypt is a significant factor in the economy of this part of the Near East, as well as in international trade complications.

Air Rescuers Snatch 2,300 From Sea Death

WITH 5TH AIR FORCE, LUZON. — In a little office at this base is a chart on which the first entry was made last September. Now there are 2,300, the names of airmen who were rescued from death on the ocean stretches of this aerial battlefield.

It is the record of the 5th emergency rescue group.

Holds Back Tears While She Dances

Buddies Make Good Promise Of Dead Brother.

MACON, GA. — Holding back the tears, a brotherless "kid sister" swirled to dance music in a gown of white—"the prettiest in town"—just as her brother who died on Iwo Jima promised she would.

It was Miss Frances Newman's 18th birthday.

Buddies of her brother in the tough 4th marine division provided her with the beautiful evening gown she wore to her birthday dance, arranged by her co-workers at Warner Robins field near here. The division commander, Maj. Gen. Clifton B. Cates, sent orchids.

"I miss Bob terribly," said the tall, earnest young girl. "But I'll dance and hope a good time—just as we had planned. I know he'd want me to."

The brother, 20-year-old Sgt. James R. (Bob) Newman of Lumpkin, Ga., had promised his "kid sister" long ago he'd get her orchids and the "prettiest evening gown I can find" for her 18th birthday and take her to a dance.

But Bob was killed by a Japanese shell February 23.

After he was killed, Frances wrote General Cates, telling him she was going to keep her chin up—"because if Bob had to die, he would have wanted to die a marine." Her note also told of her and Bob's plans for her 18th birthday. Cates said the letter was the most beautiful he'd ever received.

When the dress came, there was a "Happy Birthday" card with it. It was signed "Bob's Buddies."

Throttle Shot Off, Pilot Crash-Lands His Bomber

CHICAGO. — A Yank who saw plenty of action but "didn't get a scratch," is Lt. William H. Carls, 25, of 2506 N. Mozart street, a combat navigator - bombardier with the 9th air force.

In support of ground troops in a raid on Sauerlaten, Germany, his precision bombing with radar equipment helped take the town with negligible losses. On his return from the mission, his plane made a crash landing at 250 miles an hour, as flak had shot off the right throttle at full power and the pilot couldn't cut the engine.

During an attack on the Ruhr valley, his B-26 was jumped by enemy fighters. Three of the gunners were wounded, the hydraulics and air speed meter was knocked out, and the plane had over 200 bullet holes in the fuselage. The ship caught fire when they crash landed at a British fighter field at Eindehove, Holland. Carls wears the DFC, the air medal with 10 clusters and 5 campaign stars.

Latest Jap Trick Kills Marine on Patrol Duty

OKINAWA. — A new Jap lure resulted in the death of Marine Pfc. Michael H. Shout of Minneapolis.

Shout, on patrol in the rugged hills of Motobu, saw two men dressed as civilians. Reriizing there were many troops in the area and the civilians might be hit, Shout called to them to come back through the lines.

The two men halted, but as the marine drew near they darted away and a Jap machine gun opened up. Shout blasted the nest with his submachine gun. Then both guns were silent.

Four Japs lay slumped over the gun, dead. Shout also was dead.

Amputation Done With Combat Knife Under Stars

OKINAWA. — An amputation with a combat knife, performed by occasional star shell light, was only part of a night's work for Victory H. MacSorley of Cambridge, Md., a navy pharmacist's mate.

MacSorley, with a marine unit on Motobu peninsula, completed the necessary removal of a marine's shattered foot in about 10 minutes.

He also attended 18 other wounded marines on the 6th marine division's perimeter that night. At dawn he returned to his aid station, carrying his last patient, a wounded sergeant, across his shoulders.

Lifer Seeks New Trial After Serving 22 Years

CARO, MICH.—Clarence Adams, 49, who has served 22 years of a life sentence in prison, has petitioned for a new trial.

Adams was sentenced October 24, 1921, after pleading guilty to a first-degree murder charge in the death of Howard Long.

He now claims he shot Long in self defense and that the court erred in accepting his plea of guilty.

Bethany

Bethany, July 31.- T-5 Newton Jennings, of Fort Benning, Ga., has returned to camp after spending a furlough with his mother, Mrs. Ruth Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Joe Paulette and children, of Prospect and Miss Martha Harvey spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Paulette. Those calling Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moore, of Madisonville and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Baker, of Evergreen.

Mr. and Mrs.Mott Harvey spent Friday with Mrs. Wiley Richardson and infant son at the Virginia Baptist Hospital.

Mrs. Walker Jennings spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ruth Jennings. Tedd Walker Jennings spent Tuesday night in this home.

Mrs. Katie Allen spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Annie Ford, of Cumberland C. H.

Mrs. Katie Allen has received word that her son, Sgt. Otis Allen has moved from Germany to Belgium, since French forces have taken over the area where he was stationed.

Mrs. Corinne Paulette has received word that her son, Sgt. Edwin Paulette has recovered from his wounds, and is now stationed in the Philippine Islands.

Mr. and Mgs. Landon Harvey have received word that their son Henry Harvey, is now on Luzon.

Mrs. Mott Harvey spent Friday with Mrs. P. O. Paulette.

Next Tuesday is primary election day.

Pulpwood needed in the war effort.

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1 When a dam is proposed, all of its purposes should be clearly defined in the legislation—flood control, navigation, irrigation or power. And just as clearly, the benefit to the people affected should justify the cost.

2 If power is produced at government-built dams, it should be sold to existing power systems, without special privilege or discrimination. This will save the expensive duplication of transmission facilities, help to co-ordinate the entire power supply of each region, and assure its widest possible use at the lowest practical rates.

3 Any savings made possible by this plan should be passed along to the users of electricity, under regulation by State Commissions or other properly constituted regulatory bodies. This will assure all the benefits of river development and hydro-power without the added expense of government going into business and competing with its own citizens.

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